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ANNCR: In Washington, here are.....

KADDERLY: Wallace Kadderly, with a report on livestock feed.

VAN DEMAN: And Ruth Van Deman, with a word for the women who worry just a little bit because friend Husband or Son John or Deughter Sue doesn't get any hot food in the lunch she or he carries to work.

You can stop worrying if you take care to put up the right kind of a cold lunch. It can be just as nutritious as a hot lunch if it contains the right foods. And what are the right foods?

Well, sandwiches of course...filled with meat or cheese if you have those foods -or with peanut butter or baked beans. I know a man who turned up his nose at the
idea of a bean sandwich but licked his lips when he actually ate one. We should
observe one caution in putting up sandwiches in hot weather. We should not use
meat or egg salad mixtures unless the sandwich will be kept cold until it's
eaten. The salad mixtures are just what bacteria want...the bacteria that cause
food poisoning. In sandwiches that go to a warm office or war plant, use the
meat straight -- not in salads. Send a hard-boiled egg rather than an egg salad.
So much for the sandwich question.

Other foods for a good cold lunch are raw carrots or raw tomato and fresh fruits and milk. These foods, plus sandwiches filled with protein foods, provide plenty of variety and make a lunch that's not only good but good for you.

Now let's hear from Wallace Kadderly.



